





Detective Quack ran up with  
Chip the duckling.

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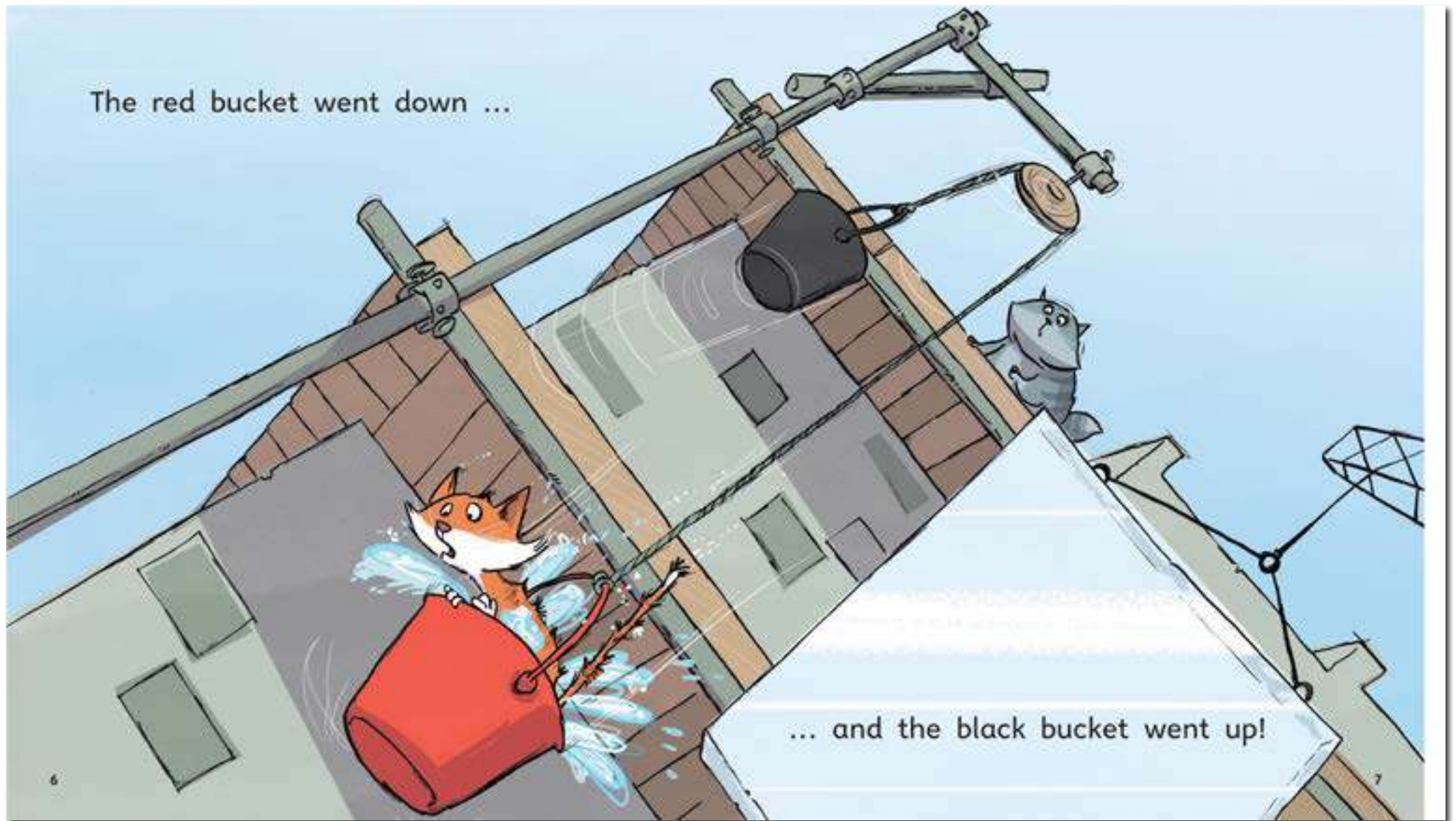
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The trail stops.







Later, Snoot saw Milton out shopping.

"Are you sure you don't need any help choosing my present?" Snoot said.



"No thank you," said Milton.





"What if the sky falls down?" said Snoot.



"What if I step on a crack in the pavement?"

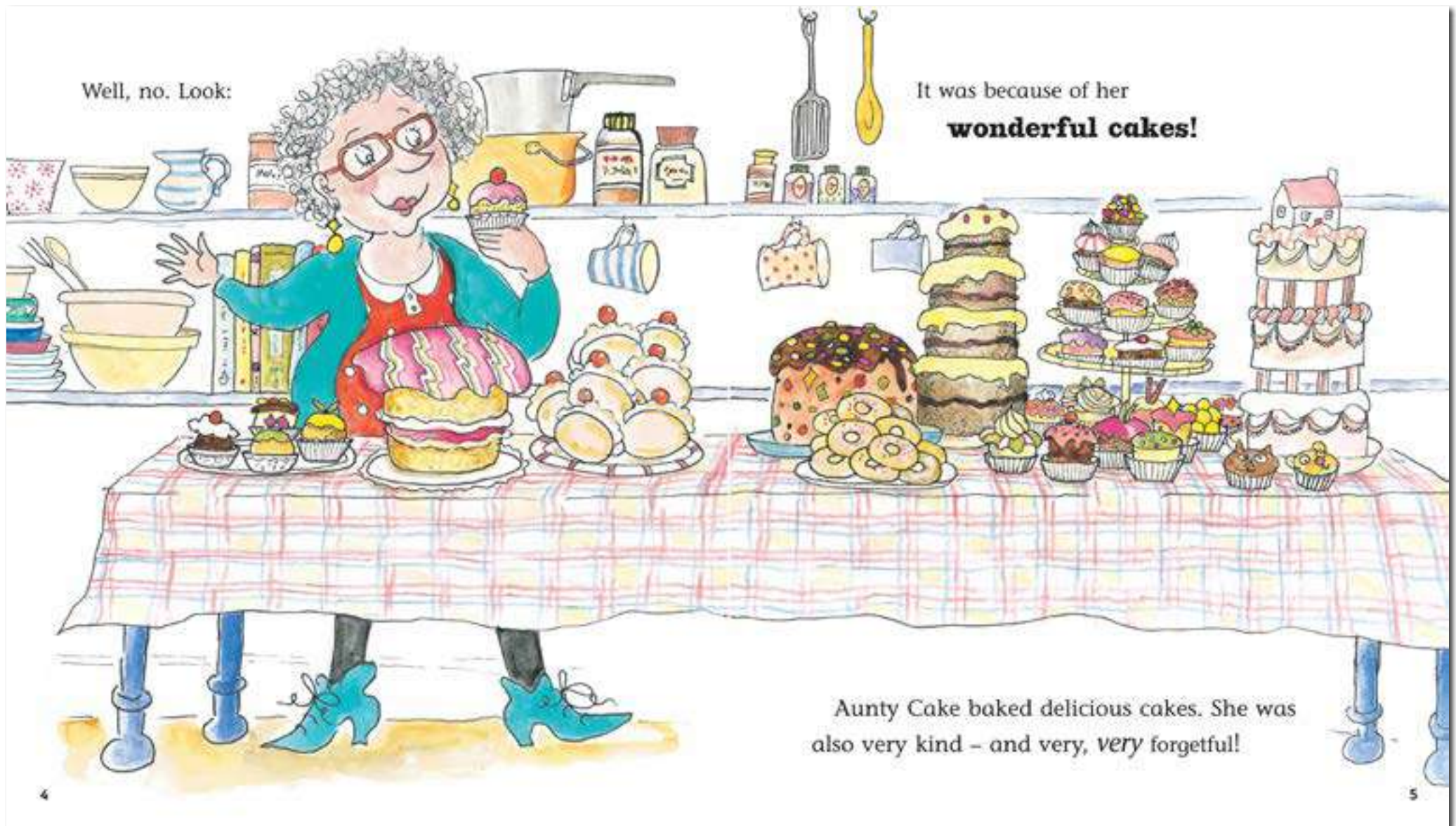


"Oh dear," said Snoot. "What if two stripes aren't enough?"



"What if something terrible happens?"

"Snoot," said his friend Milton, "you worry too much."





Wish fish made wishes come true.  
Every person had a wish fish that  
was meant for them. As a  
Wish Fisher, Sakura could tell  
who each fish belonged to.

She would deliver each fish  
to its owner so they could  
make their wish.



People often wished for  
things like wonderful feasts  
or beautiful clothes.

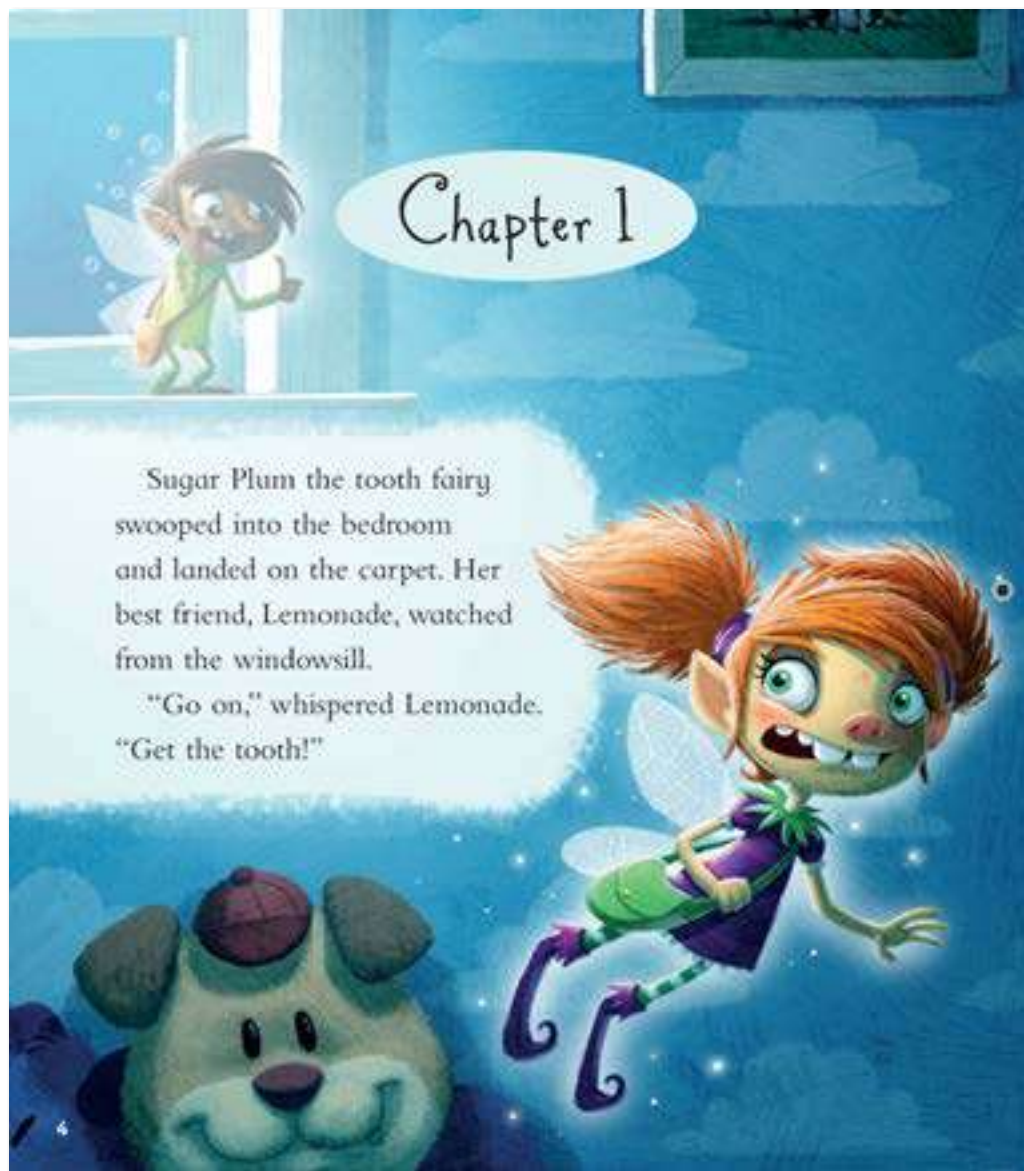


Sakura held the fish. It tingled  
in her hands and she saw a familiar  
wrinkly face in her mind. This fish  
belonged to Mr Tanaka!

Sakura could already  
tell what Mr Tanaka  
would wish for.





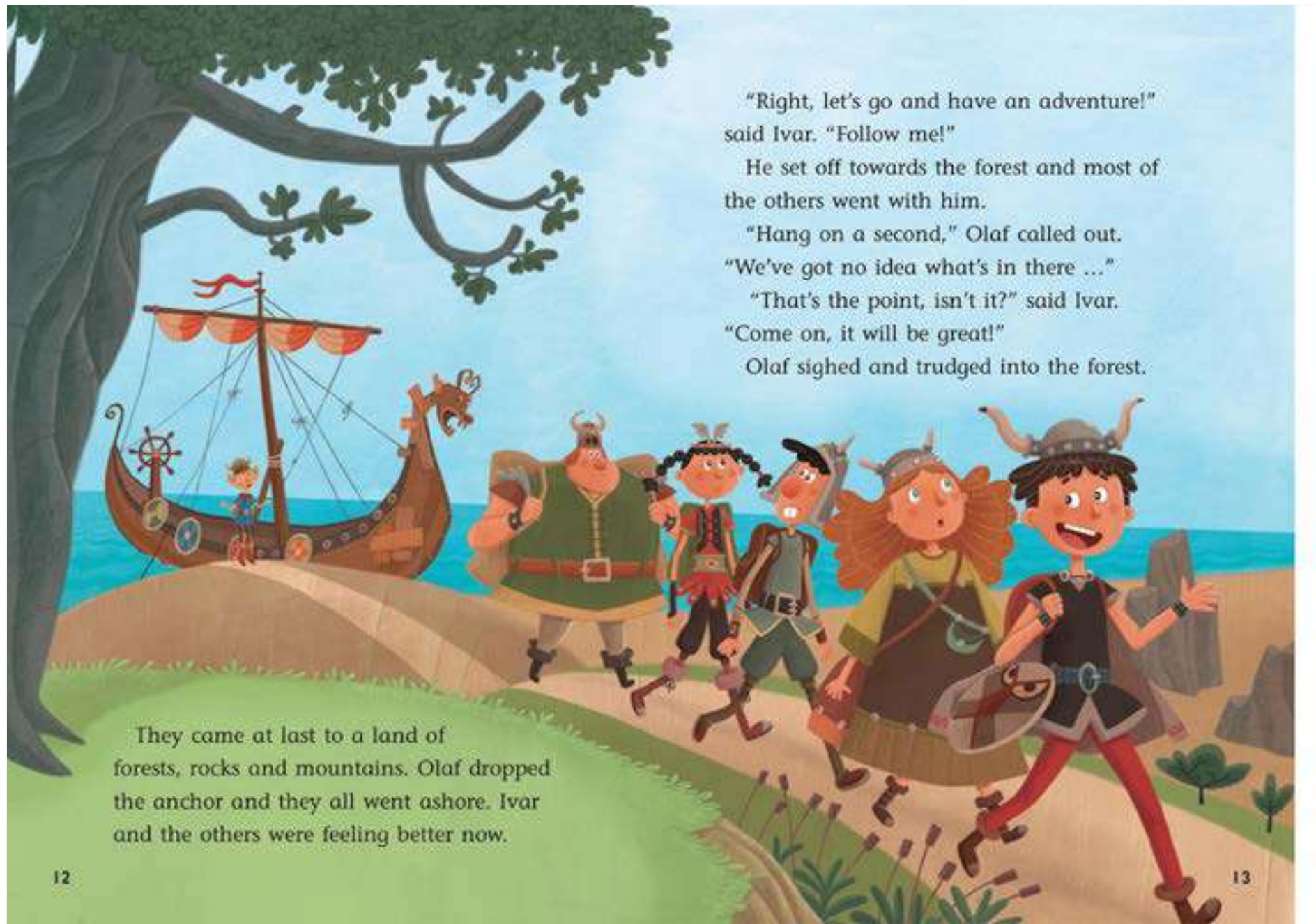


Sugar Plum the tooth fairy swooped into the bedroom and landed on the carpet. Her best friend, Lemonade, watched from the windowsill.

"Go on," whispered Lemonade. "Get the tooth!"

Sugar Plum was a very clumsy tooth fairy. She tried her best to be quiet and tiptoe like the others, but she found it hard. Her missions always went wrong. This time she was going to get it right! She took off into the air.





## Chapter 2 Amazing Birthday Plans

Stanley's birthday was getting close and he had invited his friends to his party.

"What presents are you getting?" asked Raj Chatterjee the day before Stanley's party. "I got a robot for my birthday and it can walk."



"I'm getting a gold robot," replied Stanley. "And it can walk, play tennis and sing."



"What sort of cake will you have?" asked Elsie Atkins, who loved cake. "I had a chocolate one for my birthday party and it was taller than our teapot."



"Mine will be chocolate, cherry and banana flavour," replied Stanley. "And it will be taller than Mrs Bottomley." (Who was very tall indeed!)

